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IDHS Presents \$100,000 to Versailles Fire and Rescue

INDIANAPOLIS – The Versailles Fire and Rescue today received a \$100,000 grant from the Indiana Department of Homeland Security to support their existing training facility and other areas of advanced training.

In addition to helping the Versailles Fire Department, the grant also will benefit the surrounding counties of Dearborn, Decatur, Franklin, Jefferson, Jennings, Ohio and Switzerland.

“It is critically important that firefighters receive regular and consistent basic training courses,” said Joe Wainscott, executive director of the Indiana Department of Homeland Security. “With training centers close by, fire departments have more opportunities to improve their individual and collective skills.”

The funds will be used to build a training facility that will give firefighters the ability to learn and practice skills used during daily operations.

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